

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

NOV 30 2005

Our File No. 12-9540-6520-0000-1  
Via Facsimile No. (571) 273-8300

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventors : John Fritsch  
Serial Number : 10/714,191  
Filing Date : November 14, 2003  
Title : U-NUT FASTENING ASSEMBLY  
Examiner : Jeffrey Andrew Sharp  
Art Unit : 3677

TO: Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

I hereby certify that this  
correspondence is being facsimile  
transmitted to the United States  
Patent and Trademark Office,  
Fax No. (571) 273-8300 on  
November 30, 2005.

Dana Andrew Alden

Registration No. 46,475

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the notice to the Final Office Action dated August 30, 2005. This Amendment and Response accompanies an RCE, which is being filed for purposes of submitting an information disclosure statement that will be tendered in due course. Please enter the amendments and remarks, as set forth below: